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From: Leza Wainwright

**Re: Communication Bulletin #113
Strategic Planning Process for 2010-2013**



We are pleased to present the Division's report on the strategic planning process for 2010-2013 as required by Session Law 2006-142. As described in the report, the Division is participating in a statewide strategic planning process with the Department of Health and Human Services that is due to the Office of State Budget and Management in the fall of 2010.

Given that participation and given the Division's continued commitment to the objectives laid out in 2007, this report presents specific strategies developed during the last three years that have the greatest potential for effective standardization of the public mental health, developmental disabilities and substance abuse service system. The DHHS strategic plan and those portions pertaining to the Division will be published at a later time.

This report also contains accomplishments over the last three years and measures of each of the five objectives as called for by the Division's State Strategic Plan 2007-2010. The Division continues to build upon progress made in supporting a system of high quality providers, comprehensive crisis services, standardization of processes, and in collaborating with state and local partners in improving housing, education and employment for the individuals we serve.

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